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THE NEWS.

Our news from the various theatres of war is varied and important and most so in respect to its promise of more important events hear at hand.

The rebels in considerable force attacked Cape Guardeau yesterday. This place is in Missouri, forty miles above Cairo, and a point on the river several times before threatened. At latest advices the enemy had been repulsed, and our force aided by our gunboats would probably hold the place. All the women and children have been sent away, and the government stores removed.

Gen. Banks' department is the scene of recent and valuable successes, the Union forces driving the rebels from numerous positions in the Bayou Teche and Opelousas regions, a severe blow to the rebels.

Gen. Asboth's recent order, elsewhere given, is excellent, and to the point. The sooner the enemies of the Union are unmasked, the better, to the end that they may be summarily dealt with. All who resist the power of the Government, all who aid its foes, all who shelter and defend deserters, will do it henceforth at their peril, which latter will be graduated precisely to such ease, even to the extent of shooting down on the spot, if necessary, all who forcibly oppose the capture of deserters. A few sharp lessons will be all that is necessary.

THE BRIDGEPORT WARD.

The actual population of the 5th Ward as proven by Comptroller Hayes' census, taken last fall—and we have his figures by blocks before us—is 5,968. The number of legal voters ascertained by careful and accurate canvass of the Ward the week before the election, was 694, but there were cast 972 votes, showing that 278 were illegal, every one of which were placed to the credit of Sherman and his Copperhead confederates, and that is the way they got elected.

GREEN OF MASSAC.

One special dispatch from Cairo yesterday, contained the announcement of the arrest of Hon. W. H. Green, of Massac county, Senator from the first district of Illinois. While this action upon the part of the Government authorities will excite considerable astonishment in the minds of the Copperheads of Egypt, it will be gratifying to the loyal Democrats and conservative men of the State. Mr. Green was elected to the late Legislature pledged to a vigorous prosecution of the war, and to loyalty; and yet when a Senator at Springfield he used his entire influence to further the ends of the secession sympathizers and peace Democrats.

About four weeks ago he said publicly upon the streets of Metropolis, that the Rhine and the Danube had washed two independent nationalities for an hundred years, and that the Mississippi River could do the same, and I am in favor of it."

It is probable he was arrested for these treasonable remarks. No other construction could be put upon it, than that he was and is a member of the organization which pledges itself to the establishment of a Northwestern Confederacy. Now, let Secession Green, Esq., be treated to a Richmond Dixie. His trial takes place at Cairo on Monday.

THE WAY TO DO IT.

The article in our last issue, exposing the swindling practices of the Buffalo Banks in refusing to pay checks in currency, attracted attention on Saturday, and gave great satisfaction to our commercial public. A serious error occurred in the first paragraph. We ought to have said that the Buffalo Banks will pay produce, and we believe other checks only in New York exchange at 3-8 premium, instead of "discount," as printed. Careful readers of the article, however, readily corrected the mistake. That banking institutions of any respectability should refuse to pay currency and adopt a dodge by which Western farmers—for as the thing is now managed it comes out of them—are swindled out of a quarter to to three eighths per cent, on the value of all produce sold in the Eastern Lake cities is outrageous, and Buffalo shrpers may as well understand that it will not be much longer endured.

The remedy which is proposed and discussed, is to induce some Chicago or Milwaukee house to issue drafts in sums like bills with implicit confidence—such for instance as Munn & Scott, or Munger & Armour to establish themselves in Buffalo or Oswego, and make them the consignees of all produce shipped eastward from Lake Michigan.

Buffalo or Oswego operators when wishing to purchase would at once be told, "gentlemen, the produce is for sale at the market price, payable in good currency, 'greenbacks,' or New York exchange at par. The West will no longer pay you a tax of 3-8 of one per cent on all the produce sold in this market." The commissions—no more than now charged by Eastern commission operators—would be abundant compensation to any house for engaging in the proposed business. Whether this suggestion shall be found feasible or not, our business men can surely devise some means by which the Buffalo and Oswego Banks can be made to act with some decent reference to the principles of honesty and fair dealing.

From North Carolina.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The New York *Tribune* has a special dispatch from Newbern, N. C., April 23d, which says: "The rebel force, which for nearly three weeks has invested Washington, suddenly disappeared on the night of the 19th. Gen. Foster was preparing an expedition across the country for the relief of the beleaguered town, when the news of the departure of the rebel General Hill, with his entire command, reached here. Preparations were immediately made to follow up the rebel fires. A march from Newbern to Washington revealed the fact, however, that a small force of rebel cavalry only remained within reach of Gen. Foster's command. The rebel cavalry were charged by seventy men of the 1st New York cavalry, a few miles distant from Washington, on Saturday evening last. The rebels were routed, and fled in haste. The rebel Capt. Jos. Richardson, was made prisoner, with several of his men, and their battle-flag was captured and is now in possession of the 1st New York.

The Massachusetts troops at Washington occupied the rebel works at Hill's Point on the morning after their evacuation, and made a number of prisoners who had remained in the rear.

The rebel force is believed to have gone in the direction of Richmond.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Passengers by the steamer Dudley Buck, from Newbern, state that Gen. Foster with 5,000 men, left Newbern Friday, he was at Deep Gully, but they met only a few straggling scouts. Late on Friday night, however, brisk cannonading was heard by the Newbern troops, and it was rumored that Gen. Hill, with his rebel force, was in the direction whence it was heard, and an engagement was thought to have occurred.

FORTRESS MONROE, April 23.—It is estimated that the rebel loss was eight to one case in the late attack on Suffolk and on Nansemond.

The military opened from the rebels on the 20th instant, have been taken to a place of safety.

Gen. Fremont on the Freedmen.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Gen. Fremont in a letter to Hallet & Co., suggests the occupation immediately, by the Pacific Railroad, of the lower Rio Grande, and the settlement there of the freedmen. He says that the fleet could so cover a number of our able bodied men as to prevent the rebel threats of invasion, and great numbers would thus be withdrawn from the rebel forces. In the occupation of Texas, he says, the freedmen could be employed to great advantage.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A variety of [illegible]

FOR SALE—Second-hand [illegible]

FOR SALE CHEAP—A [illegible]

FOR SALE—A very de[illegible] the first of May. Lot 45 feet by 24. Inquire at [illegible]

FOR SALE CHEAP—A [illegible] Dwelling on Jackson street, [illegible] years lease. Apply to [illegible]

FOR SALE—The Extens[illegible] part of the city. [illegible] on the lake [illegible] Clark street.

FOR SALE—A Light Top Bu[illegible] almost new. It has been [illegible] time. Apply to [illegible]

FOR SALE—A splendid you[illegible] team of Draught Horses. [illegible] to suit [illegible] 100 to 1,200 pounds each. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Two desirable re[illegible] dence lots on [illegible] Desire street, [illegible] Ogden avenue, [illegible] Apply to D. W. HILL, [illegible] corner Kinzie.

FOR SALE—Well improved fa[illegible] for sale of from 80 to 400 acres, in one [illegible] choicest, and well located, in Lake county, Ind[illegible] Apply to J. W. WAUGHOP, on Clark street, [illegible]

FOR SALE—Two three-sto[illegible] Brick Houses and Lots, known as Nos. 1[illegible] and 3 South Water street. Inquire of [illegible]

FOR SALE—Water Power W[illegible] on Factory, Saw Mill and Tannery [illegible] and, being the lowest on the [illegible] power has 16 feet head. [illegible] W. F. HARRIS.

FOR SALE—A Steam Boiler, [illegible] horse power, copper flues, [illegible] nearly new, at the Times office, [illegible]

FOR SALE OR RENT—[illegible] buildings and lands recently occupied as a FACTORY, situated on the North branch of the Chicago River, on Cleveland avenue, and 20 feet of dock. [illegible] on the premises, or of [illegible]

FOR SALE—House and Furnit[illegible] For sale, The House [illegible] the modern improvements, with or without [illegible] Also, the Furniture, if both or either desired. [illegible]

FOR SALE—A person about mo[illegible] having wishes to dispose of a Cottage [illegible] one story, high stoop, [illegible] Entrance, and good well. Will sell [illegible] on time, or will rent for [illegible] Apply to F. D. HARRINGTON, [illegible] corner.

FOR SALE—One "Norris" Loc[illegible] motive Boiler, 42 flues, and rated 30 horse [illegible] is complete with [illegible] Also, one 7 horse power portable [illegible] Also, all engines, [illegible]

FOR SALE—A first class Fa[illegible] dence on Wabash avenue, convenient to [illegible] Apply to WILLIAM C. DOW, 35 Clark street, [illegible]

FOR SALE—Farm for sale in [illegible] County, Illinois—325 acres—130 fruit tree[illegible] house and barn, with other [illegible] Location healthy, and soil capital. Inquire of [illegible] This is a rare chance. PERCIVAL FARWELL, [illegible] No. 162 Lake street, P. O. box 2127.

FOR SALE.—To Capitalist[illegible] Two of the best business and most [illegible] stone blocks in the city of Milwaukee, [illegible] one of the finest residences on the lake [illegible] Clark and Lake streets. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Desirable Reside[illegible] Property, Lots in George Smith's Addition, [illegible] east of Halsted street, and south of Lake street. [illegible] Lots in Duncan's Addition, Block Houses and [illegible] the corner of Halsted and Lake streets. [illegible] Lots 1285x100 feet. House and Lot on Pine street, [illegible] Lot on Lake street, near Halsted. [illegible] South Branch, near Old street. Apply to [illegible] 120 Lake street. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Dock Prope[illegible] The Chicago South Branch Dock Company [illegible] one thousand feet of water front on the [illegible] on the South Branch, and [illegible] extending it to extend, still further, its already [illegible] facilities for the shipping and [illegible] factoring purposes, or any kind of business [illegible] Apply at the office of the Company, [illegible] office, Room 4, Cobb's Building, 124 Dearborn [illegible] apr18-c6t-m2w

FOR SALE—Iowa Lands, 80[illegible] acres of choice lands in Northeastern Iowa [illegible] Prairie, for sale for cash or on [illegible] affording favorable terms for settlement. [illegible] Apply to or address the land office of [illegible] corner of Lake and Clark streets, Chicago. [illegible] W. J. BARRET, Dubuque, Iowa.

ELIGIBLE INVESTMENT.—[illegible] Property, consisting of [illegible] situated in the village of Mazomanie, Dane [illegible] Wisconsin, on the Wisconsin River, [illegible] from Madison, the Capital of the State. [illegible] Apply to or address [illegible] HUGGINS, Mazomanie, Dane County, Wisconsin. [illegible]

To Rent.

TO RENT—A very eligible D[illegible] and Wood or Coal Yard, at Lake street [illegible] Apply to CHESTER WOOD, Corner of Canal, [illegible] Lake and Clark streets.

TO RENT—The Brick Store [illegible] basement, at Lasalle street, opposite the [illegible] Building, on Lasalle street, adjoining the office of [illegible] Greenebaum, now occupied by Messrs. Pryor & [illegible] Apply to P. T. SCAMMON.

TO RENT—The elegant [illegible] mansion on corner of Adams street and Michigan [illegible] avenue, formerly the residence of W. B. Ogden, Esq. Will be rented low, or Private [illegible] Also, the [illegible] north of Old street. There are [illegible] rooms [illegible] FORSYTHE, No. 1 Marine Bank Building, [illegible] Lasalle street.

TO RENT—The three-story br[illegible] House No. 114 and 116 North Wells street, [illegible] eight rooms and front [illegible] Rent low to [illegible] WILLIAM C. DOW, 35 Clark street, [illegible]

TO RENT—Dwellings in the bl[illegible] on Ohio street, corner of Cass street. [illegible] Apply to the Agent on the premises, [illegible] Also, two tenements on Cass street, [illegible] 15, and 19. Apply to D. CLEVELAND & CO., [illegible] Lake and Lasalle streets.

TO RENT—Steam Power, w[illegible] on the Times' Buildings. Immediate [illegible]

TO LEASE—Lot 2, block 8, Nor[illegible] Addition, near Wells street bridge, with [illegible] dwelling suitable for manufacturing purposes. [illegible] Apply to [illegible] for one year or longer. [illegible] CYRUS, corner No. 6 Lasalle street. [illegible]

Lost.

LOST—A Dog, $5.00 reward, [illegible] large White Dog, with black spots [illegible] tail, had on a chain or rope, [illegible] on the [illegible] day of October, however, brief [illegible] was heard by his master [illegible] will be liberally rewarded by returning [illegible]

LOST—$5 Reward. A large M[illegible] colored House Dog, [illegible] Rode on the [illegible] between Chicago and Milwaukee [illegible] Any one returning the same to [illegible] Clark street, will receive the above reward. [illegible]

STRAYED—From the Pres[illegible] premises, corner of State and Adams [illegible] a Dark Bay Horse, about 15 hands high, [illegible] Any one returning the same to [illegible] Clark street, will be liberally rewarded. [illegible]

50 TONS TOBACCO—Of [illegible] not counted Hogsheads, [illegible] Apply to [illegible] Lake street, [illegible]

READY—(Official.) The [illegible]

Wanted.

WANTED—A situation [illegible] Boy, 15 years old, [illegible] Apply at 51 Clark street. [illegible]

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WHAT GRANT WILL DO.

Private letters from the army near Vicksburg leave no doubt of the intentions of Gen. Grant and Commodore Porter. Having passed the batteries at Vicksburg and silenced those at Warrenton, the gunboats, accompanied by sufficient transports and troops, will enter Big Black river (which, as the reader will see by consulting a map, runs behind the beleaguered city and empties into the Mississippi a few miles below) and make their way up to the railroad leading eastward from Vicksburg to Jackson. This they will destroy, and thus cut off the communications between the two rebel armies—the one on the Mississippi and the other near Rosecrans—and afterwards, if our force is sufficient, take the city by assault in the rear, or, failing in that, set down before it, commanding all avenues of approach and egress, and by a slower and more expensive process, compel its surrender. At this distance the plan, which is, however, merely conjectural, seems feasible; but if the enemy's force has not been grossly exaggerated, it is not without its dangers. We know nothing of the Big Black, save that it is deep, narrow and tortuous. How it is defended, or what means of defence are at hand, we cannot tell. What works there may be at the railroad crossing, we doubt if Gen. Grant can tell. But a few days will determine all. The running of the batteries, and the placing of the entire squadron between two places, that may be with ease so further fortified that escape is impossible, is an act as bold as the burning of the ships which bore an army to an enemy's country; and now promptness in planning, rapidity in executing, and desperation in fighting are the only means of egress. Through the gate Victory, that army and that fleet must go out!

BURNSIDE'S ORDER NO. 8.

While a nation is struggling for its life, and good Field-officers are a scarce crop, it will take a good deal to justify a superior commander in dismissing from service men of known loyalty, and of a well tried skill and courage. There must of necessity, be order and discipline of the most rigid sort in camp, and on the battle field, and an officer is no more exempt from these military exactions than a private. But there are limits even to rigor, and laws to make an equitable adjustment between the offense and its punishment. There is such a thing, also, as out-Heroding justice itself; and this is not unlikely to occur where a General who is absolutely master of his command, acts prematurely under the pressure of irritation, and the belief that his authority has been slighted or ignored.

Fortunately there is, in all such cases, an appeal from the General in the field to the Commander-in-Chief of the United States Armies, and as Mr. Lincoln is as just as Aristides, there is no fear at any time, that an act of injustice properly brought before him, and substantiated, will ever meet with his sanction and approval.

Burnside's now famous Order No. 8, is precisely one of those hasty proclamations, the provisions of which would prove in the highest degree injurious to the National cause if there were no Cæsar to appeal it to. Immediately after the repulse at Fredericksburg, some of the Generals and officers of his Division took upon themselves to criticise the conduct of the battle, and as the General sets it forth in his specification against them, these criticisms were unjust and unnecessary—and, in the case of Major General Hooker, he charges that this officer, by the general tone of his conversation, endeavored to create distrust in the minds of other officers associated with him, and the circulation of made statements, expressions and the army cross the superiors in command. For these causes Hooker was dismissed from the service; and at the same time Brigadier General W. T. H. Brooks, Generals John Newton, W. B. Franklin, W. F. Smith, John Cochrane and a long list of others were suddenly and ignominiously sent to the right about, subject, as we said, to the approval of the President. After a full consideration of the whole matter and its allegations, the President refused to sanction this noted and memorable order.

What became of Newton, Brooks, Cochrane & Co., we do not care to know, and we dare say the people are as indifferent in the matter as we are. But all will rejoice that Hooker has been spared the disgrace which a confirmation of Burnside's order would have brought upon him. What the President thinks of Hooker needs no setting forth in words. The fact that he now holds Burnside's command, and that his accuser has been transferred to an inferior department of the service, speaks for itself, and with a sufficient eloquence.

ANOTHER PIRATE AFLOAT.

The British Government has at last been goaded into the performance of a deed which is meant to look like an act of justice to the United States. They would fain have slept out the drama of the gunboat building if the English people would have let them alone, and our Minister had been complaisant enough not to disturb their dreams with his unpleasant representations of the duplicity and treachery which were hidden under their pretended napping. But the game which they essayed to play, was of too transparent a texture to cheat anybody, and its real object and design became the theme of declamation for the cotton spinners of Manchester and the factory workers of Yorkshire, who demanded in no measured words, that for the honor of England, and for the maintenance of peace between that country and our own, the iniquitous course of the English Government should be stopped. This menacing attitude of the people, combined with the urgent solicitations and demands of Mr. Adams, fairly roused them to a sense of the odiousness of their position, and the consequences which must inevitably ensue, if they persisted in ignoring the evidence, so complete and notorious—respecting the ownership and destination of the gunboats, then in process of construction on the Mersey and the Thames. They shuffled it as long as they could, and pretended not to know what all the world knew; proving the charge down to its last significance. If none are so blind as those who feel out see. But their game was quite insane, and the evidences while detaining the Alabama, to warrant them in putting a embargo upon the Alexandra, and prevent her sailing from the Liverpool dockyards.

We owe England no courtesies for this tardy act, which she was constrained to perform, which was not rendered by the promptings either of love or rectitude, but from a low and selfish policy. She had already done us as much harm as she was able to, by allowing the Alabama to escape; and no word of apology has ever passed her lips for this gross and unprovokable outrage against our own laws, and the laws of nations. On the contrary, if we may judge from the subsequent speeches of ministers in the House, they rejoiced over it, and when arraigned by such men as John. Bright and W. E. Forster, Lord Palmerston, their fidus Achates and bully, and the "bottle-holder" of Europe," took occasion to insult Mr. Adams, in a manner the most unseemly obsequious, and through him the Government of the United States, which the Lord Palmerston and his brethren pander had already so deeply and so wantonly wronged.

The movements of the British Military with the escape of the Alabama, which no one friendly, or unfriendly to it, pretends to deny, is good ground wherein to doubt its integrity in all similar matters. It is true that the Alexandra has for the present been subjected to the police of that government, but it is also true that another rebel gunboat called the Japan, or the Virginia, contrived to elude the vigilance of the Greenock officials, although she was ordered under arrest; and the complicity which winked at the outgoing of the Alabama could easily enough shut its eyes while the Japan was clearing for sea.

We have no faith whatever, not the slightest, in the boasted justice and fair dealing of the British Government; and there seems to be a vast deal of intelligent, and intelligible method in the exit of the Japan. To cripple the United States, to lop off some of its vast limbs of Empire, to destroy its commerce, to dismember, if possible, its Administration and people in the conduct of this rebel war, by throwing every possible material obstruction in its way, and depriving it of all generous and noble sympathy,—this is the object of the aristocrats of Great Britain as proved by the action of that government from the first awful booming of the first gun that was fired from Fort Moultrie, down to the stimulated justice of this first gunboat seizure.

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The information relating to Price's reported whereabouts at Pocahontas arrived simultaneously at Pilot Knob and Rolla, and is believed to come from Price himself. Four of them made their escape and being examined separately, their stories were in accordance with each other, but they were not arrested, with the design of watching them and ascertaining if anything would endeavor to prevent their right to the horses; but they evaded them and escaped into Illinois. Messrs. Ralph Bowman, Theo. Eastburn, M. J. Wright and Nelson Norton, of Vincennes, then advertised for owners for the horses, describing them, and to-day the owners arrived from Kentucky, to claim their property.

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Evansville, Ind., April 24, 1863. H.

OUR ST. LOUIS LETTER.

War Goes Here in Earnest—The Rebel Advance Threatening Price's Encampment and His Force—Plan of the Rebels Foiled—Escape of Gen. McNeil—The River Closed, &c., &c.

[Special Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

St. Louis, April 24, 1863.

War is again brought to our doors. The rebels have advanced with a heavy force from Pocahontas, Ark., within 110 miles of this city. They are reported this morning in full possession of Fredericktown, and are menacing Cape Girardeau and Ste. Genevieve, though either movement would be contrary to all West Point notions of military propriety, and would place the rebel force in a position to be flanked. The military authorities here have taken the most vigorous precautions against any serious mischief, and in forty-eight hours more, the rebels will be compelled to give battle or ingloriously retreat. Price is reported at Pocahontas with 19,000 conscripts and considerable artillery. Marmaduke was sent ahead as an advance guard, to gobble up as many garrisons and obtain as many guns and as much provision as he could capture; but thus far Marmaduke has obtained just nothing, save possession of a barren, miserable country. The fight with a battalion of Col. Smart's regiment was a failure, though the rebels had the advantage of superior numbers. The particulars of that affair reflect credit upon our men.

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WASHINGTON ITEMS.

[Special Correspondence Chicago Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, April 23, 1863.

SECESSION OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

The Secretary of the Interior has decided that those who have acquired lands conforming in certain cases pre-emption rights, are not thereby excluded from the privileges of the Homestead bill.

GENERAL WERNE RE-ELOSED.

The Rev. Mr. Martin, a resident of Prince George's county, Maryland, and living on the Potomac, opposite Alexandria, was arrested yesterday by order of the War Department, at his home. The evidence is conclusive that he and his family not only hold secret correspondence with the rebels, but engage in other treasonable practices. The reverend gentleman with all his household, will be sent at once through our lines into Dixie, no doubt much against his will.

THE GREAT "MEDORA."

Squads of refugees still continue to come into our lines. They are mostly persons of high birth, with occasionally a repentant rebel deserter. They are generally exceeding destitute, but occasionally some of them have gold pieces and bills in Richmond at the rate of six dollars of Confederate money to one of gold or "greenbacks," bought at a premium of 400 per cent.

THE NATIONAL BANKING LAW.

Inasmuch as general enquiry is being made by capitalists in all parts of the country, in regard to the National Banking Law, a condensed summary of the proceedings for organizing under it may be of interest.

Banks in cities and villages of over 10,000 inhabitants must have at least $200,000 capital. Places with less than that number may have banks with $50,000 capital. Thirty per cent. of the capital must be actually paid up at first, ranged in a row, side by side, the burly Congressman and the grave Senator, the dirty lobby member and the lazy rotunda lounger and the newspaper scribbler, all sipping their cocktail in perfect harmony, in the hall of interesting debate in the chambers. Verily the presiding officers of the bodies ocasionally call order, to the end, and descend to the undignified pastime of munching pies and cakes, and sipping coffee in the refreshments.

The deities presiding over the tables are a trio of good-looking matronly women, and their dispensing powers are from seventy dollars to one hundred and upward, per day. We presume the privilege by which they hold sway and stands in the kitchen, is worth something or it may be like some of the members in the chambers above and below, they could establish no right to them at all, if called upon.

[From the Atlanta Intelligencer.]

RAISE PROVISIONS.

The following address to the people of Alabama, by the able and patriotic delegation in Congress from that State, commends itself with equal force to the people of our the States. Every farmer and planter in the land should consider it as individual appeal to his patriotism and humanity:

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALABAMA.

The undersigned, your Senators and Representatives in Congress, desire to call your attention to a subject they deem of vital importance. In raising the present year of the largest possible quantity of provisions, and the raising of pork, beef and mutton for the supply of the army and support of the people, have become manifestly the duty of every citizen. The enemy have possession of some portions of our country well adapted to raising provisions. In other portions, when in possession of the enemy, they have destroyed fences, houses and fences, plundered and appropriated stock, and destroyed farming implements, under a hope that if they could not conquer us by arms they could subjugate us with the aid of starvation. It behooves us, therefore, to see that we do not fall into their snare, and have not done or attempted any injury to individuals, they will be let alone. Then they will attempt to cut off the beef trade of Texas. Why will not every planter in the country open his eyes to these facts, and do all in his power to increase the supply of corn and provisions, and help avert the evil that now threatens us? We fear that we are about entering upon a terribly dark period of our national existence. The open edition to the Lincoln Administration at the North cannot avert this calamity. The planters of the South, aided by Providence, may save us.

Again it says:

If we have a drouth this season, and such a thing is probable, how can the South feed the Northern and Southern armies and her own people? If they succeed in cutting off the supply of beef from Texas, and destroy the crops and provisions that the slaves as far as the armies extend their operations, what will be the condition of the South another winter, if the planters and cultivators of the soil on this side of the Confederate lines do not apply their energies and labor to the raising of breadstuffs and provisions?

[From the Savannah News.]

The Yankees have arrayed against us powerful armies, under the lead of Generals Hooker, Banks, Banks, Foster, Sigel, Rosecrans and the Rest. But we are threatened by a more formidable general, general starvation. Our farmers, every man, woman and child that can wield a hoe, can assist the cause in the field. If they will drive him from our midst, our brave soldiers will vanquish the others.

[From the Richmond Examiner.]

LUNCHING AT THE CAPITOL.—We reckon the tables spread daily around the statue of Washington, into the confines of which cakes and chicken bones are thrown, are the most democratic set in the Confederacy. But while the table is most democratic the prices are most aristocratic. Here a 25 piece of poultry collapsed pie costs twenty-five cents; a cup of coffee, Confederate in ingredients and first cousin to the grounds, fifteen; of the butter, accounts would have gone home on horse back then did. Five persons were wounded, none of them mortally, by accidental shots from Witherow. There is now some hopes of his recovery.

Previous to Saturday but one man had attempted to wear a butternut in Danville, and our town Marshal immediately "picked" that, and compelled the unfortunate to leave intend that butternuts shall be worn by treason spoken here.

On Sunday afternoon an apparently well clothed married runner came to town that a large force was preparing to "make a demonstration" against our town. Preparations were immediately made to receive them, and Gen. Carrington, informed of the facts, promptly sent out a military force, and they have succeeded in making some important arrests, and are still continuing the good work. Yours, S. A. RUSSELL.

ONLY TWO PARTIES NOW.

From the Speech of Daniel S. Dickinson at the New York League Meeting.

There are but two parties now. One the party to sustain the Constitution, and the other the party of treason. That is what this second party is, call it what you will. Its design was to keep on foot machine politicians. If party names are used, the usual party cry out like the tired Cæsar: "Help me, Pierce, or I sink." The name of Democracy. The Copperhead is applied to rattlesnake's mate, and is a brilliant one for the crawling rattlesnake. But the proverb shall come to pass and the "best of the woman's seed shall bruise the head of the serpent. "The Copperhead dated very far back. He remembered reading in the Bible that Paul complained of the Copperhead who had done him much evil. He quoted Peter to the same end, and he might not have all the words exactly right. If Democracy should receive its death blow, ills cause or party would be the immortal words of Andrew Jackson. "The Union must and shall be preserved." The Republican party was formed on the old Whig party, after the active issues of that day had passed, and of a wing of the old Free Soil party. The people became alarmed at the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, and the general desire to stop the extension of slavery brought this now party into power. The Republican party today stands for the loyalty of the country. It stands for the Union and the Constitution. But the Democrats under their spurious organization, and the Republican Hunker of the present organization, must both give way to the great party—the Patriotic Republican party. [Applause.] These would not be two causes in the community then, the one loyal, the other disloyal, and there would not be enough left of the latter to enable the nation to distinguish the organic remains of the Copperhead breed. I am radical for laying my hands on all sorts of property for the purpose, real, personal and mixed; and I am conservative for standing on that platform once taken. I am conservative for making as big a hole as I can of Slavery, and I am conservative for keeping a hole.

The volcano Smoking in Mobile.

Papers of which the following is a copy, were posted up in the most public places, of Mobile on the 8th inst. It is one of those unmistakable signs, now becoming quite common, that the disloyalty of the people in the rebellious States has reached a point that is almost unbearable:

"BREAD OR PEACE.

"It has not yet come to be a question of bread or peace with us, but we are fast coming to it. If our Government can compel a man to go on a fast day of children to fight for it at $11 per month, it can compel the same man to stay at home and enjoy their ease now, and will enjoy our freedom when achieved, to feed the poor children of poor fathers; the old ones, whose only sons are fighting the battles and enduring the terrible hardships of the field, and the widows in their destitutes and sickness. Forbearance will soon cease to be a virtue!

"Our wives, sisters and little ones are crying for bread! Beware! lest they cry for blood also! We have had enough of extortion and speculation, let this time the strong arm of the law was extended.

"The people will rise sooner or later! There are lamp posts and rope enough to cure any traitor to his country. The remedy will be supplied by an outraged people."

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SILVER MINING IN CALIFORNIA.—The rage of the multitude in California now runs to silver mining, and everybody who has a few dollars to spare is hurrying in the direction of velously rich mine in some unpronounceable locality or other. The mining excitement is now at its height, which reminds us of the old rock, but a great many poor, and give the bottom of the State a rock from which it will not recover for some time.

FOOD IN THE SOUTH.

The Scarcity—The Alarm—Means of Relief Suggested—Destructive Loss of Cattle.

[From the Planter's Banner, Franklin, La.]

From the beginning of the civil war which now rages with such brevity in the country, we have been treading through alternate bright and dark periods. Hopes and fears, sunshine and storm, war and woe, have succeeded each other in quick succession. But the present aspect of the rebellion is the most discouraging feature in the South. In the next place, we note that pork and beef cannot be made without corn; hence, half the above assertion of corn must be consumed in making meat for the army. So, also, horses cannot be kept without forage of hay and oats, especially in the army. The supply of these articles in the South is utterly inadequate. They cannot be made up. On the supposition that the South really raises double the amount of corn they did two years since, it would still be impossible to feed their army and supply the population at home. Paris and his cooperfederates have not raised their outcry too soon or too long. There is a dreadful fate before them, which it is certainly possible some year of providence may overwhelm us with. *One million dollars*, had been subscribed, and yesterday morning the books were closed, excluding immense applicants who had been tardy in coming forward with their subscriptions. Over one hundred thousand dollars were offered, subsequent to the closing of the books. The policy of those having charge of the enterprise, was to confine the subscription to active business men, and in this they have been entirely successful. We were permitted to look over the list of stockholders, and never, we venture to say, was an institution started with a more substantial set of men. The preliminary papers are being made out, to be sent to Washington, and the bank will be organized without delay.

☞ The story put in circulation by the Washington *Intelligencer*, and republished in Democratic papers, that Gov. Morton obtained $100 in gold from the sanitary fund of the War Department, to assist in carrying on the State Government, is a canard.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

Items Domestic and Foreign, by Mail and Otherwise.

GETTING UP IN THE WORLD.—Mr. James Glaisher, the scientific scrouut, took his first spring voyage in the upper air on the last day of March, going up from the Sydenham Crystal Palace, near London. He has communicated to the English newspapers some account of his voyage. He ascended to a height of four and a half miles, where he found the temperature just at zero of Fahrenheit's scale. In descending a balloon made the first mile in nine minutes, the second in ten, the third in nine.

The ballooning may presently become a fashionable way of getting a little fresh air, a few notes of Mr. Glaisher's experience will not be unwelcome to the enterprising reader. It is interesting to know, for instance, that "at heights greater than three miles the sun's image was seen reflected in water." At four miles the sun's rays, even when in front, produce against seventy-six beats on the ground. The higher you get the bluer is the sky—at the greatest height it has to the observer the hue of dark Prussian blue. At a run near the four-mile mark, the heart beats quickly and loudly; and we warn lady balloonists to provide themselves with pearl powder and other aids to the complexion," for at heights exceeding three miles the face gets blue. At four miles surface ice formed instantly, and Mr. Glaisher was forced to break it to get water for his wet bulb thermometer. It will, perhaps, strike the ingenious seeker after pleasure, that ice-cream at the end of July day, at the distance of four miles above New York, would be both novel and delicious.

IRISH EMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES.—It is stated in the Cork *Examiner* that the number of persons who have left Kerry for the United States during the last fortnight in March exceeded all that had emigrated during the like period for the previous six years. Almost every morning crowds of persons, principally of the farming class, were seen taking their departure from the Killarney and Killorglin, on their way to Queenstown for America. "They rush out from the country (says the *Examiner*) as they would from a newly catching fire, fearing that by remaining in it they may be reduced to pauperism, and then become permanent inmates of the work-house." It appears that large sums of money have been sent over from America lately by the relatives of persons in that part of the country, and in many cases the parties have been induced in the letters for the passage across the Atlantic.

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2. Variations.....Portland Juvenile Band.
3. Marble Statuary; Incidents of the Battlefield.
4. Scenes and Acts, from Attila, (Verdi).....G. W. Band.
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6. Tableau Pizzarro.....Do.
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8. Marble Statuary; The Sentinel.....Do.
9. Exhibition.....by the Turnverein.
10. Grande Pompe Funebre, (Verdi).....G. W. Band.
11. Le Pyramides, No. 2, by Members of the Turnverein.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. To commence promptly at 8 o'clock.

ADMISSION—Tickets, 25 cents; Reserved for Ladies, 50 cents. To be had at the Bar of the Hall, or Grocers.

☞ Tickets for the Gallery for sale at BAUER'S Music Store, corner of Clark and Washington-sts. apr25-27-28

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THE CITY.

The Wager Trial.

The important testimony of Mrs. Everett, flatly contradicting every material statement of Mrs. White's testimony, appeared in our yesterday edition, but is unavoidably crowded out this morning by a pressure of telegraphic and other news that would become stale if not now inserted. But the testimony will keep a day without spoiling in the least. We shall insert it in our next issue.

TO LAKE SUPERIOR.—The steamer Sea Bird has changed her time of leaving to Thursday, April 30th. That will be as early as any boat will be able to get through the ice.

GYMNASTIC EXHIBITIONS.—The Chicago Turn-verein will give a great gymnastic performance at Bryan Hall, on the 30th inst., connected with an exhibition of living pictures, pyramidal erections and concert. The Great Western Band will furnish the music, and the most elaborate arrangements are being instituted for the exhibition.

PROBABLE INFANTICIDE.—On Friday evening, some workmen engaged at the corner of Jefferson and Fulton streets, found the dead body of a very young infant, partially concealed in a sewer. Yesterday, Coroner Schmidt held an inquest in the case, and the jury rendered a verdict setting forth that the child came to its death from some cause or causes to the jury unknown.

PHOTOGRAPH.—Shaw, the well known photographer, has taken a splendid picture of the mouth of the river, as it appeared a few days since, upon the arrival of the lower lake fleet. It will be published shortly in Frank Leslie's paper, and will give eastern people a vivid idea of the immense shipping interests of this port. Several copies of the photograph will be printed, also, for circulation in the city.

FORTHCOMING PUBLICATIONS. — Messrs. Church & Goodman, of this city, have announced that they will publish next May, a book entitled "War Pictures," or "Observations and Experiences of an Army Chaplain in the War of the Southern Rebellion." The author is Rev. J. B. Rogers, Chaplain of the 14th regiment of Wisconsin volunteers, and we have no doubt that it will prove an instructive and interesting book.

☞ Some Sewing Machines have one facility only, and others have two. Some only stitch, while others stitch and embroider. No intelligent mother will select a Sewing Machine for family use which cannot embroider as well as stitch. Grover & Baker's celebrated premium machine stitches and embroiders so perfectly that it is impossible to tell in which respect the machine excels. These are the only machines that embroider as well as stitch.

LARCENY.—A fellow named Frederick Frich was before the Police Court Saturday, on the charge of stealing a watch, worth $5.00, from John Gerstetter, a saloon keeper on North Clark street. The accused had taken complainant's watch a few days ago for the ostensible purpose of repairing it, he being a professional watch tinker—but unfortunately did not return the watch to the owner. After an examination before Justice Miller, Frich was held in the sum of $500 for his appearance at the Recorder's Court, and in default of bail was committed.

A DENTAL IMBROGLIO.—An imbroglio promising not to be second in interest to that which is now going on among the clergy at Joliet, is likely to be before the public shortly, owing to a letter from New York, which appeared in the April number of the *People's Dental Journal*, published in this city, which treads rather unfeelingly on the corns of those whom it is intended to expose. No pistols have been used as yet, and we hope no blood will be shed, save in the legitimate way. So far as we can ascertain, the better class of dentists uphold and sustain the *Journal*, whilst those who think they are hit are kicking up a row.

THE APPOINTMENTS.—The Democracy are on the rampage about the forthcoming appointments by the Mayor, and the scramble for office it is causing. Sheahan wants the City Printing, but "Hove in" prefers to keep him as his private secretary. Sheahan has accepted the position, and is now busy on the Inaugural Message. It is pretty definitely settled that Sherlock, the old book man, will be Comptroller, although his desire was to be appointed Board of Education, Superintendent and teacher of all the public schools. Comiskey will be Mayor; Denny Coughlin has applied for the situation of County Clerk, on the ground of having carried the 1st Ward. Dr. Hinsdale will carry his own ward, by a majority of 373, will probably get the appointment of physician to the Bridewell, as soon as there are any inmates, all of them having been released by Sherman to vote the Democratic ticket. Storey will allow Sherman to sit in his chair. An unusual number of stables have been attached to him to "facilitate business," and he has been thoroughly copper-bottomed. Storey will commence pulling the strings in a few days, when Hove in will exhibit himself.

The Matinee.

The second Philharmonic matinee at Bryan Hall, on Saturday afternoon, was a grand success, and the audience larger and, if possible, more brilliant than on the occasion of the first matinee. The programme, from first to last, embraced unexceptionable pieces—the solemn, majestic chords of Chopin's *marche funebre*, the light, sparkling polka music of Libitsky, the elaborate, artistic, and fascinating waltz music of Strauss, Auber's strange harmonies, and the ever welcome Tannhauser, in which our phlegmatic friend—he of the trombone—outdid himself. There are few better players upon this much abused instrument. Bickl, first violinist, deserves especial mention for his capital playing.

The audience was unusually brilliant, and the various spring styles were captivating in the extreme. Between the delicious bonbons, the Hager Imbroglio was the universal theme of talk, and one or two bold sensations, which we are not at liberty to reveal. Prior to the performance Mr. Smith there was a slight intermission, in which the pretty young ones in the cream colored peg-tops went out and arranged themselves along the sides of the passage way, for the gratification of the ladies.

The Mallnecsare *the* things to do. They are immensely popular—the emporium of style, and the headquarters of fun—and really giving the "go" to the trade. The entire musical public will thank the managers for these ambrosial afternoons.

Domestic Economy.

A Model Cook should be one that observes faithfully all the following rules, aiming to perfection to the greatest of baking, boiling, roasting, frying, steaming, broiling, and toasting. There must be economy of fuel, space, time, and supervision. The wood pile melts away rapidly enough with the best of care, and the galloping consumption of the coal bin is a disease incurable and only to be palliated. Therefore Model Cook. Perhaps you have such an one in your family. More likely you have not, and disbelieve in the existence of the mundane perfect article. Nevertheless, you may attain something in that direction. Many a lame cuisine owes its chief seat of failure to a poor stove. The Model Cook of the Barlow Stove Company of Providence, Rhode Island, sold by A. B. & G. H. Miller, at 203 and 207 State street, is so named because, as far as stove can be, this stove will be the adjunct and help of the kitchen department. Review what we have set down as the functions and qualities of the Model Cook, and you will have briefly listed the merits claimed for this stove. Send for one of the neat little pamphlets that the enterprising brothers Miller will hand to you gratis, and you will find Chicago names and high testimonials to its merits, and those merits proven by actual test and use in some of our best Chicago families. We advise all who are in quest of a stove to examine the Model Cook. It is elegant, complete, and perfectly finished in all mechanical details, and in these respects ranks with any stove in the market.

But the stove is, after all, only the center piece of the kitchen world, and the Misses Miller, for six years in their present stand, have enlarged their double store to accommodate their trade, making it one of the largest and most complete Housekeeping Emporiums in this city. Their stock comprises everything in that multifarious line. Water Filters of the Eclaire pattern, thousands of lovers of water "pure and undefiled" know well. Summer will soon be here with its ravages in the shape of cholera infantum, and finally, on the first of May is now at hand, and houses are to be furnished and homes painted for the ensuing year, and this fact, which may bring any of our readers into communication with the Miller brothers, will aid in answering many domestic questions just now propounded.

THE ELECTION FRAUDS.

The Investigation Committee at Work.

How "Hove In" Sherman was Elected.

The Committee of Investigation, in the matter of election frauds upon the part of the Copperheads, are daily accumulating a mass of evidence which, when complete and set forth in detail, will startle the community. Bribery, fraud, corruption, perjury and downright villainy of the worst description, will be fastened upon the leaders of the bogus Democracy. The Fifth, Sixth and Sixteenth wards were the scene of the major part of the frauds, although in the latter ward, the vigilance of the Judges prevented much injury by illegal voting. It is now known that Joliet, Ottawa, Detroit, Palos, Athens, Thornton, Sycamore, La Salle, Racine, Kankakee, Waukegan, Lafayette, (Ind.) Michigan City and Madison sent to this city the very scum of their population to vote here; and a more depraved, villainous mob never disgraced a city. They were in our midst for two or three days prior to the election, accomplished their infamous mission, and left by the early morning trains the day after election. The Sixth ward was the principal theatre of their operations. There were no challengers at the polls during the afternoon. The Judges admitted votes without question, and the Copperheads had the field to themselves. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon 500 votes were polled—just seven hours' work. The Copperheads saw that their case was dubious, and then the infamous work began. Wagon loads after wagon loads of drunken rowdies and bullies were sent there, and voted after they had voted at Bridgeport, and so rapidly did they pour in the ballots, that when the polls closed, *over seven hundred votes had been polled in four hours*, which, added to the previous vote, gave just *five hundred more votes than there were voters* in the ward. The Judges, with as much unconcern as men of straw, took in the vote and congratulated themselves that they were doing a wholesale business. And so they were. By their criminal carelessness, the most outrageous frauds were perpetrated without a single remonstrance, and the Union cause suffered a terrible blow in the house of its friends.

In the Fifth ward the most disgraceful scenes occurred. There the Copperheads had the field entirely to themselves, and they made a clean sweep by brow beating and intimidating Union voters by the presence of a drunken, ferocious mob. The same frauds were perpetrated, and there was the same fatal lack of challengers. During the day a band wagon drove up and stopped. The band commenced playing the Star Spangled Banner, and the drunken crowd actually hooted the patriotic anthem, and drove off the wagon. Whiskey flowed freely. As soon as a squad had voted, we are informed, that train upon the North Western road brought them down to the city, where wagons were in convenient to distribute them through the various wards where their votes were most needed. In the Sixteenth Ward, as we have already intimated, the vigilance of the Judges averted the disastrous consequences of the Fifth and Sixth. One of the Judges informs us that fifty-five good Copperhead voters were sent away because they refused to be drugged, and his direct and specific charges against his own party have made more democratic votes than almost any other two wards. His brave, his resistance was inroinitamy, and he still claims to be a Republican, yet it cannot be denied that he has rendered to figual assistance, for which he deserves and should receive credit.

Yours truly,
GERMAN DEMOCRAT.

The Canal Convention.

The Committee on Invitations met last evening, at the rooms of the Mercantile Association—James Robb, esq., in the chair.

Col. Foster (Secretary) remarked that he supposed the committee had determined upon inviting Railroad Superintendents, Presidents, &c., &c. He read a list of prominent merchants of New York, Boston, St. Louis, and other cities, and editors of the largest papers of those places. He also had lists of prominent residents of Iowa, Wisconsin and other States, and asked the committee to instruct him as to the policy he should pursue in the matter of invitations.

Hon. I. N. Arnold thought all the persons named by Col. Foster should be invited. He wanted the Convention to be made as large, numerically, as possible—to embrace all classes, and to make it, in fact, a national affair.

Mr. Arnold corrected an erroneous impression which the reporters had received from his remarks at the last meeting, in relation to the Senators from Iowa. They were not opposed to the canal improvement, but, on the contrary, Senator Harlan had joined in the call, and was one of the warmest friends of the movement. Senator Grimes had not committed himself against it, and it was hoped that he also would throw his influence in its favor.

Mr. Arnold said that this Convention had been called by the Representatives in Congress of some eighteen different States. The gentlemen of this committee certainly would not restrict those persons from inviting whom they deem proper.

Col. Foster told the committee in Chicago were simply auxiliary to the Convention—appointed to facilitate the business of the Convention, and to extend a cordial, gentlemanly invitation throughout the country the countries within they have a right to expect from the citizens of Chicago. The Railroad Committee had provided, in their circular to the railroad officials, that the certificate of the permanent secretary, to the effect that the person had been appointed by the Convention, should pass a delegate to the Convention to and from the place of meeting, free of charge. He thought it would be well to have a similar certificate issued to each person to his passage over the road.

Judge Goodrich offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to furnish to the Committee on Invitations for a general meeting on Tuesday evening, at the rooms of the Mercantile Association, at 7 o'clock.

The resolution was adopted.

The meeting then adjourned.

MEETING OF THE UNION CLUB.

Organization for Future Work.

The regular meeting of the Union Club was held Saturday evening at the hall, corner of Lake and Dearborn street, Col. F. A. Eastman, President, in the chair. The first business which came before the meeting was the matter of organizing the Club for the Presidential election in 1864.

Geo. W. Gage addressed the meeting at some length, and in a spirited manner, urging upon the club the importance of buckling on the armor anew, and preparing for a vigorous and determined struggle in the future. Mr. Gage closed his remarks by submitting to the Club a proposition to change the name of the organization by inserting the word "War," so that the name should read "Union War Club." Under the rules, this proposition was laid over till the next meeting.

Col R. M. Hough being called for, addressed the meeting for a short time, endorsing the sentiments advanced by Mr. Gage, and recommending the co-operation of every member of the club in carrying out the plans adopted. He was in favor of the liberal distribution of suitable documents among the people. If every man would do his duty from this time forward, ultimately triumph would be inevitable, truth would prevail, and the Republic would be crushed.

Col. G. B. Hubbard thought that loyal citizens had every reason to take courage and press on in the good cause to which they were devoted. It was the duty of the Club and of every true citizen to stand by the Government in the present crisis, and, so far as possible, in the triumph of constitutional liberty and the Union.

Mr. Gage again spoke for a few minutes, reiterating the sentiments expressed by the other speakers, and urged the necessity of earnest, undaunted efforts in overcoming the Copperhead influence prevailing in the Northwest.

J. G. Kendall, Esq., of Beloit, Wis., being present, was called upon for a speech, and responded with a few pertinent remarks, which were enthusiastically received. He observed that the news of the late Copperhead triumph in Chicago was received by the citizens of Wisconsin with deep regret; but he was satisfied that it would result in stirring up the loyal people to greater degree of activity. He was glad to meet so large a number of Union war men in Chicago, and find that they were alive to the great issues now pending. In Wisconsin, nearly all the loyal citizens belonged to some Union organization, and he believed this fact had much to do with their efficiency. He hoped the loyal men of Chicago would appreciate the importance of thorough, systematic organization.

Mr. Dorsey thought that the most effectual mode of winning the masses to the support of Presidential candidates was by the free distribution of printed documents.

On Motion, the Club then adjourned to next Saturday evening.

Supreme Court—Third Grand Division —Ottawa April Term, 1863—First Week.

The Court commenced on Tuesday, the 21st inst., and has been in session during the week. The Judges are the Hon. John Dean Caton, Chief Justice, the Hon. Sidney Breese, and the Hon. Pinckney H. Walker, Associate Justices. Lorenzo Leland is Clerk, and Ebenezer Peck, Reporter.

The number of cases continued from last term was seventy; and up to Friday noon the whole number of civil causes docketed was 244; and of peoples cases seventeen—making total of 261; of which 191 are now cases. The docket is considerably below the usual numbers. No case will be heard which is docketed after the third day of the term, unless otherwise specially ordered. The first call of the docket stands at No. 82, where the Court will commence on Monday.

Among the distinguished gentlemen in attendance on the Court, we noticed Judges Treat, Wead, Powell, and Merriman of the Fourth; Judge Bond of Galesburg, and Judge Hand of Ottawa, Mr. Hazard of Galesburg, and the usual array of accomplished lawyers from this city. Among other matters of interest, we noted the following:

A late act of the Legislature gives the Judges of the Supreme Court a docket fee of $6, in all cases. The Court having intimated that the act applied to People's causes, Mr. Bonney objected, that the law required such fees to be taxed against and collected from the unsuccessful for the successful party, and because this cannot be done in ordinary peoples' cases, the docket fee could not be required therein. The Court took the matter under advisement, and afterwards, according to an ancient practice of the Courts of Justice, requested the editor of several of its counsellors in the premises, namely: the Hon. Norman H. Purple, the Hon. Evert Van Buren, the Hon. Edwin S. Leland, Charles C. Bonney, Esq., and Wm. C. Grant, Esq., to whom the matter stands referred.

Mr. Emery A. Storrs moved to quash a writ of supersedeas and attachment bond, and upon that motion the Court held that though one of the plaintiffs in a writ of error be an infant or otherwise incompetent, all must sign the bond—but the Court declined to say what the effect of such signing would be; also, that in fixing the security to be taken in such cases the Judge allowing the writ may have regard to the value of any security by heir of judgment or decree, and make allowance accordingly. The Court remarked that these points had not previously come before the Court.

Several other matters of general interest are on the docket, and will be noticed hereafter.

Death of Henry A. Clark, Esq.

We are pained to learn of the sudden death of Henry A. Clark, esq., an esteemed citizen and well-known lawyer of this city. He was attacked with diptheria and died on Thursday evening at his residence, on Adams street near Michigan avenue. This disease was the immediate cause of his death, though he had been in low health for a considerable time, from an organic disease of the heart.

Mr. Clark has, since 1857, been one of our prominent citizens. He was a native of Massachusetts, and a graduate of Williams College, where he was distinguished for those peculiar traits of character and intellect that have distinguished him among us. Not long after coming to this city, he married the daughter of one of our oldest and best known citizens, Gen. Hart L. Stewart, and now she with her little son are left to mourn his loss.

He was, for several years, a prominent member of the Chicago Bar, and filled, with credit to himself for two years the office of City Attorney.

But it was not as a lawyer that he was most distinguished. The dry details of the profession were in a measure distasteful to him, and he left it while yet a young man. He was much more widely known and appreciated for his fine social qualities, rare culture and literary taste. For the last twelve years he has been a frequent contributor to the literary and political journals of the day, and those of our readers who are familiar with the Knickerbocker Magazine, will know that some of its rarest gems were from the pen of our deceased friend. He was a ready and elegant writer, both of prose and poetry, and several of his poems have been widely published and much admired. He never wrote for ambition's sake, or desired notoriety, but what fell from his pen was written to beguile an idle hour, or to elucidate or advance some principle. The last years of his life were saddened by disease, and his early death was not wholly unexpected. His ready wit, his quiet humor, often tinged with irony, his rare ability and literary taste, and his social qualities will be long remembered by those who have known him.

Mayor Sherman's Proclamation.

Whereas, the President of the United States has designated and set apart Thursday, the thirtieth day of April, instant, as a day of national humiliation, fasting and prayer: Now, therefore, I, Francis C. Sherman, Mayor of the city of Chicago, do hereby request all citizens of Chicago to abstain, on that day, from their ordinary labors, and business avocations, and, repairing to their respective places of worship, or to their homes, unite in observing the day in a becoming and proper manner, as a national Fast Day.

F. C. SHERMAN, Mayor.

Chicago, April 25, 1863.

THE YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.—It has been found impossible to complete the repairs and cleaning at the library rooms, so as to re-open on Monday. The library will, therefore, remain closed until further notice is given in the daily papers. As delay will be increased by the failure to return books which are now out, it is earnestly requested that every one who has any books belonging to the library will return them at once.

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A Superintendent Wanted. To the Editors of the Tribune. Gentlemen: If any of your readers desire the services of a man who has had a long experience in the management of men, and who is willing to work for a moderate compensation, I will refer him to the undersigned, who will be glad to recommend him. Yours, &c., [Signed] JOHN WENTWORTH. Chicago, April 25, 1863.

The Tribune of Monday last contained a letter from Mr. Wentworth, in which he proposed to the Democrats of Chicago that they should nominate him for Mayor, and he would run as an Independent Democrat. Mr. Wentworth is a Democrat of the Douglas school, and his letter was a direct attack upon the Democratic party, and its editor, for the purpose of breaking down the Democratic party. Mr. Wentworth is known as well as his Abolitionism, and the Democrats of Chicago will not be humbugged by his professions. Nevertheless, the Tribune not only published the letter, but made it the subject of an editorial, in which it spoke of Mr. Wentworth as "well known as an American patriot of the Republican party." Nevertheless, the Tribune not only published and editorialized upon the letter, but spoke of it in terms of commendation. It spoke of the course of the Democratic party in this city, and of its having occasional indignation among Americans as well as Germans. Republicans, it said, were not to be counted upon, for they were "divided and disheartened." The circumstance that the Tribune itself says, the letter was not addressed to Democrats, but to Democrats as Democrats was not understood, should have taught the Tribune to exercise some discretion before it published and gave charges against a person and an editor who has waited for a good while to get the Republican party. The absence of any motive should have made the Tribune doubtful whether that "card of thanks" in the Times was not a genuine outgush of discomfiture which it appeared to be on its face.

But they ought also to understand the origin and motive of that article. The article of the Times is an imposition; it is not the emanation of a German Democrat, but is directly or indirectly the product of political conspiracy. Conspiracies in our own party, said, no doubt, the article was designed to mislead and put forth through the *Times* for the express purpose of being reproduced in the Tribune. It is their design that the Democracy shall be thrown into confusion, demoralized, and denounced, with the view of taking advantage of the confusion and demoralization of the party—German and American—in the paper. Is it not a strange coincidence that the Tribune should, on the very day that the *Times* card of thanks in a manner to hoax the *Staats Zeitung*?

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NOTES ON DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS—No. 5.

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I was sick in bed when the agitation of the $200 clause of the Conscription Act was at fever heat. But as I grew able to resume my editorial task, I urged day after day, by my articles, to soothe the excitement, to remove the misapprehensions of the remonstrances of my friends, who feared that such a cause might result in a pecuniary loss, but I did not create the least danger to the peace in my country was in danger, and now I get my reward through the columns of the Tribune, which hypocrites utter against my loyalty from the *Times*.

I will say in addition that not only the *Staats Zeitung* is a paper thoroughly and heartily committed to the support of the Union Ticket, but my self-respect, as the Editor of the *Staats Zeitung* and myself, all took the field and spoke for it at meetings through the city, which other editors shunned.

L. BRENTANO.

Chicago, April 26th, 1863.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

THE MONEY MARKET.

SATURDAY EVENING, April 25, 1863.

The demand for money is steadily increasing; but the supply is still ample. Mercantile and commission houses, dealers and operators of all kinds are making arrangements for the spring trade, and under the brightening prospects of active and profitable use for all their capital, bankers seem desirous of employing their surplus funds. Even the capitalists of the right kind of collaterals, and prospects on all sides for business are all that can be desired.

New York exchange shows signs of weakness at former quotations, though as yet no concessions to our knowledge are made. The current rates are ¼ premium buying, and ¾ selling. Bankers will not buy at the rate any more than will supply the immediate wants of their customers. One house as frequently noticed, buys at par and sells at ¼ premium.

Operators in gold must always look to the late dispatches published at the close of this article, for the latest price of gold in Wall street. It seldom agrees with the figures here given. Private dispatches to-day gave the rates in New York 120, 120¼ and the closing at the second board, 134. The brokers here paid 120@151@151¼, the latter towards the close. They did not seem disposed to buy largely near the closing rate, and bids till Monday morning. The sellers rise in Wall street was looked upon by many as a gilded bait to catch gudgeons. Monday morning's dispatches will determine the truth of this surmise.

The price of silver was 135@140, Canada currency 140; Indiana State Bank and Kentucky, 130@135.

MEMLEY.—Nowhere else on the face of the earth would so ragged a currency, and one so mixed and almost incomprehensible as we have at the West be tolerated. The variety of bills one receives in the ordinary course of business is curious and wonderful. Let the rags be driven home by the people refusing to take them, and let "green-backs" be substituted, we repeat for the hundredth time.

New York Stock and Money Market,
By Telegraph.]
NEW YORK, April 25, 1863.

STOCKS—*Second Board*—Better and fairly active.

C. & R. I.	94½	Erie pref.	109
A. & T. H. pfd.	40¾	Harlem	69½
C. & P. Du Q.	40¾	Harlem, pfd.	91
C. & A. pfd.	89	Mich Cent.	104¾
P. Ft. W. & C.	93½	M. S.	69
C. & N. W.	39¾	M. S. pfd.	105
A. & T. H.	43¾	Tenn. 6s	60
Mich. S. & N. I.	107½	Missouri 6s	64½
Gal. & Chi.	91¾	California 7s	130
C. & P.	73	C. & P. 8s bds	69
Ill. C. scrip	94½	M. S. & N. I.	71½
Pacific Mail	189	C. & N. W 8s	81
N. Y. C.	126½	T. & W. 8s	104
Erie	61¾	T. & W. 8s	94¾

GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Government stocks firm.

U 8s '81 coups. 108¾ | U. S. 1 yr cert. 99¾
T-30 T. Notes 105⅝@106

MONEY—Easy; large supply of capital seeking investment.

Sterling Exchange firmer, with more doing at 160@161 for first-class bills.

Gold firmer—opened at 134¾, and advancing to 135, and closing irregular at 134@135¾.

Total exports of specie to-day, $258,948.

COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING, April 25, 1863.

RECEIPTS FOR THE LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour. bris.	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.	Oats. bu.	Rye. bu.	Barley. bu.
Lake		5500				
Rail		2000				
G. T.	1849	9284	6504	15633	96	497
M. C. R. R.	1000	1000	1000	1000		
I. C. R.	1216	4500	13850	5400	350	350
C. R. & R.	226	4041	19202	3672		
N. W. R. R.	1170	2000	3000	5914		
A. & S. L. R. R.	70	384	7185			
Total	5831	27609	71441	32138	1523	767

	Grass Seed. Bags.	High-wines. Bbls.	Live Hogs. No.	Dr'd Beef. Hogs.	Beef. Hogs.	Cattle. No.
Canal						
G. & C. U. R. R.	670	5310	50	180		266
C. & R. I. R. R.		1000		200		200
I. C. R. R.		10870	50	950		379
T. & W. R. R.		1150		304		304
N. W. R. R.		220				
A. & S. L. R. R.		21265		760		607
Total	670	45905	100	3183		2221

SHIPMENTS BY LAKE FOR THE LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour. bris.	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.	Oats. bu.	Rye. bu.	Barley. bu.
Buffalo		165825	29000			
Oswego		9000				
Kingston	12750	20000				
Kingston	13000					
Collingwood	700		660		98	
Total	700	26750	197825	29000	98	

The receipts of flour to-day embraced 3,084 bris flour, 27,690 bu wheat, 71,422 bu corn, 32,138 bu oats, 1,523 bu rye, and 767 bu barley. The shipments by lake were 700 bris flour, 26,750 bu wheat, 197,825 bu corn, 29,000 bu oats, and 98 bu rye.

There was a good attendance on 'Change, and the number transported by the various railroads:

	Cattle.		Cattle.
Gal. & C. U. R. R.	522	Chi. & N. W. R. R.	3,066
Chi. & R. I. R. R.	379	Mich. S. & N. I. R. R.	607
Ill. Central R. R.	95	Alton & S. L. R. R.	1,163

The total receipts of Beef Cattle at all the yards for the week ending to-day amount, according to our daily reports posted on 'Change, to 5,659 head. This is 616 head more than last week, and 1,348 more than the corresponding week of last year. In addition to this, there must be added some 200 Stillets, which were driven in from the various localities in the vicinities of the city, making in all about 6,060 head.

THE OPENING OF THE MARKET.

The market opened on Thursday morning with every indication of an advancing tendency—there being only about 1,000 cattle on the yard, and private advices giving a better tone to the East Trade opened brisk, and continued so till Friday evening, in which time prices advanced fully ½c per lb. There were a good many premium droves from the extreme limits of the State and Iowa, also a few from Wisconsin, which brought extreme outside prices, ranging from 5¾@6¼c; but the bulk of the offerings were from good to extra, which sold at a range of $4.80@5.25. There were several droves left over at the close, the owners were holding out for higher figures.

THE CLOSE OF THE MARKET.

Contrary to all expectations, the market opened dull and dragging, and continued so throughout the day, while the advance gained Thursday was entirely lost. Friday's receipts of 1,500 head reproduced this effect. A telegram was received early this morning, stating that the market in Albany had suffered a further decline—that upwards of 6,000 head were being shipped from Buffalo and the Suspension Bridge to New York, and that the receipts here were much larger than anticipated. The Government contractors, seeing the "scare" of the shippers, held back, hoping for a greater decline. The market closed heavy and dull at the following quotations—a large number being left over unsold:

We give closing prices as follows: